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Windsor, June 16.

HIS Majesty having granted a Commission to seven Knights Companions of the most Noble Order of the Garter, giving Power to them or to any two or more of them, to install the most Noble the Duke of Richmond, and the Noble and Right Honourable Sir Robert Walpole Knights lately Elected into that most Honourable Fraternity, and to proceed therein and perform all Ceremonies which are required by the Statutes and Ordinances of that Order; the two Knights Elect came to the Great Chamber in the Lodgings of the Dean of Windsor this Morning about Eleven of the Clock, apparelled in the Under Habits of the Order, carrying in their Hands their Caps adorned with Diamonds of Great Value and with Feathers: Soon afterwards came thither six of the Commissioners, hereafter-named, all of them robed in the compleat Habits and with the Ensigns of the Order. Then the Alms Knights being in their proper Mantles going two and two, began the Procession towards the Chapter House, and were followed by the Prebends in their Mantles, next the Officers of Arms in their Tabarts, then the two Knights Elect a-breast, after whom the Officers of the Order, that is the Senior Prebend being constituted Deputy to the Register, having on his Right Hand Garter King of Arms carrying the Sovereign's Commission, and on his Left the Gentleman-Usher carrying the Black Rod, wearing their Crimson Sattin Mantles and the Badges of their Offices; then the six Knights Companions Commissioners, the Juniors in the Order going first, viz.

Earl of Scarborough, having the Earl of Lincoln on the Right Hand,
Duke of Grafton, with the Duke of Newcastle on the Right Hand,
Duke of Montagu, with the Duke of Dorset on the Right.

Having thus entered into the North Isle of the Chapel, the Alms Knights, Prebends, and Officers of Arms, made a Stand in their proper Distances beyond the Door of the Chapter-House, the Knights Elect retired to Chairs placed for them in the Passage behind the Altar, and the three Officers of the Order went into the Chapter-House: The Knights Commissioners upon their Entry therein seated themselves according to Seniority and the Situation of their Stalls in the Chapel; when the Commission being presented with the usual Reverences, and other due Ceremonies performed, Garter was commanded to conduct the Duke of Richmond to the Door of the Chapter-House, where his Grace was received by the two Junior Commissioners and introduced between them, and the same Method was observed with relation to Sir Robert Walpole, who were then respectively invested with the Surcoats of the Order, during which Time the proper Admonitions were given them; and these Knights Elect remained in the Chapter-House, while a Procession was made into the Chapel to offer the Hatchments of the Dukes of St. Albans and Kingston, the late deceased Knights, which was performed in the following Manner.

The Poor Knights entered two and two, and being come to the Middle of the Choir, made their Reverences all together, first to the Altar, then towards the Sovereign's Stall, and proceeded up to the Rails which encompass the Altar, where they placed themselves on each Side; which being done,

The Prebends entered in the same Manner, and stood all of them below the Poor Knights, excepting two of them who went up to the Altar.

The Officers of Arms entered in the like Manner, and stood below the Prebends on both Sides.

The Officers of the Order came next, with the same Ceremonies, and stood before their own Seat or Form.

Then the Six Knights Companions present entered in the following Manner:

Earl of Scarborough, Earl of Lincoln, Duke of Grafton, } Each single, because their Companions in the opposite Stalls were absent.
Duke of Newcastle, having the Duke of Montagu on the Right Hand,
Duke of Dorset single, for the Reason above-mentioned;

The Junior entring first, and making his Reverences in the Middle of the Choir to the Altar, and then to the Sovereign's Stall, retired and stood in the Area of the Choir under his Banner, who having thus placed himself, the next Knight did the same, which was repeated by all these Knights according to the Situation of their respective Stalls, and then the Banners, Swords and Helmets of the two deceased Knights were offered with the usual Ceremonies and Solemnities by these Companions, viz.

The Banner of the late Duke of St. Albans by the Duke of Dorset on the Right Hand, and Duke of Montagu; that late Duke's Sword by the Duke of Newcastle on the Right, and the Duke of Grafton; his Helmet with the Crest by the Earl of Lincoln on the Right, and the Earl of Scarborough.

The Atchievements of the late Duke of Kingston were offered in the same Manner.

Which being performed, the Knights Companions retired under their respective Banners, and after due Reverences made, the Return to the Chapter-House was in the Order specified above, and from thence a Procession was again made into the Choir in the same Manner, save that Garter, being in the Middle between the Deputy Register and the Black-Rod, carried on a Velvet Crimson Cushion edged and tasselled with Gold, the Mantle, Hood, George Appendant to the Great Collar, and the Book of Statutes, to the Desk of the Seat below the thirteenth Stall on the Sovereign's Side, designed for the Duke of Richmond,

[Price Two Pence.]

mond, and the Knights entred into the Chapel with the accuſtomed Ceremonies,

Earl of Scarborough,
Earl of Lincoln,
Duke of Grafton,
Duke of Newcaſtle,
} All Single.

The Duke of Dorſet on the Right Hand, and the Duke of Montagu, having between them the Duke of Richmond habited in his Surcoat, and carrying his Cap in his Hand.

The four firſt named Junior Knights retired under their reſpective Banners, and the two Seniors conducted the Knight Elect into the Seat where Garter had placed the Cuſhion with the Enſigns of the Order; there the Knight Elect laying his Right Hand on the New Teſtament took the Oath for the Obſervation of the Statutes; which being done, theſe two Commiſſioners thence conducted him into his Stall, where he was by them inveſted with the Mantle, Hood, Great Collar, and George, whilſt the Regiſter read the uſual Admonitions in theſe Caſes, and the Commiſſioners delivering to him the Book of Statutes, placed the Cap on his Head, and ſeated him in his Stall, who making his Reverences to the Altar and then towards the Sovereign's Stall, the Commiſſioners embraced him and congratulated him, and leaving him in his Stall deſcended into the Area of the Chapel and ſtood under their Banners with the accuſtomed Ceremonies.

Then the Alms Knights, Prebends, Officers of Arms, the Officers of the Order, and the Knights Commiſſioners returned to the Chapter-Houſe, and from thence proceeded again into the Choir, where Sir Robert Walpole was with the ſame Ceremonies inſtalled in the thirteenth Stall of the Prince's Side.

During all this time the Organ plaid; then Divine Service was begun, and the Offertory Sentence being read, the Poor Knights made their Reverences and ranged themſelves on both Sides as near as they could to the Rails of the Altar, the Officers of Arms did the ſame, and Garter riſing from his Seat, made his Reverences in the Middle of the Choir, and ſummoned Sir Robert Walpole and the Duke of Richmond to deſcend together, who having made their Reverences in their Stalls came down into the Choir, where meeting they again made their Reverences together and went to the Places under their Banners; in like Manner all the other Knights were ſummoned, according to the Situation of their Stalls, who deſcended ſingly, ſave the two Knights that were Companions.

All the Knights thus ſtanding under their Banners, the two Provincial Kings of Arms repaired to the Duke of Dorſet the Senior Knight, and conducted him to the Offering, who made his Reverences firſt upon his moving from under his Banner, and again at the firſt Step of the Altar, and being come to the Rails of the Altar, made his Reverences to the Altar only, and kneeling down offered Gold and Silver, putting it into the Baſon held by two of the Prebends, and then riſing up and making the like Reverences, went to his own Stall, making his Reverences, and ſit down.

The like was performed by the Duke of Newcaſtle having on the Right Hand the Duke of Montagu going in Breaſt, being conducted by the two Senior Heralds.

Then the Duke of Grafton, the Earl of Lincoln, the Earl of Scarborough, all offered ſingly, becauſe their reſpective Companions were abſent.

Then the two new inſtalled Knights offered together.

The Knights being thus all returned to their Stalls, continued therein till Divine Service was ended, and were then ſummoned to deſcend into the Area under their reſpective Banners in the Manner before mentioned, and a Proceſſion was made out of the Choir, down to the Weſt Gate of the Chapel, and up through the South-Iſle, and out of the South-Door, and thence to the Lodgings, the Drums and Trumpets going before: In which Proceſſion firſt went the Poor Knights, then the Prebends, next the Officers of Arms, then the Officers of the Order, then the two new inſtalled Knights a-breaſt, being followed by the ſix other Knights, who proceeded in the Manner wherein they firſt entered into the Choir.

The Knights had a ſplendid Dinner in the Guard-Chamber, and dined in their full Habits; where Garter having the Officers of Arms attending on him, proclaimed the reſpective Stiles of the Knights then inſtalled.

June 18.

Whereas a Letter dated June 17, and ſubſcribed W. R. *was ſent Yeſterday by Penny-Poſt to a Perſon in the City: The Writer of that Letter is deſired to come to that Perſon To-morrow before Noon.*

Horſe-Guards, the 8th Day of June, 1726.

Theſe are to give Notice to ſuch Reduced Officers of His Majeſty's Land Forces and Marines upon the Britiſh Eſtabliſhment of Half Pay reſiding in Great Britain, (Scotland excepted) who have neglected to appear at the Horſe-Guards in order to be examined, purſuant to ſeveral Advertiſements in the Gazette, or have not ſent proper Affidavits and Certificates of their being ſick, or detained on Legal Proceſs; That the General Officers and other Commiſſioners appointed by His Majeſty for their Examination, have adjourned their Meeting till Wedneſday the 6th Day of July next, at which Time, the ſaid Reduced Officers are hereby required to appear perſonally before the ſaid Commiſſioners.

And in Caſe of Sickneſs, or their being detained as aforeſaid, they are to ſend proper Affidavits and Certificates, wherein their Age, the Time of their Services, the Countries where they did ſerve, are to be particularly mentioned, and whether they are not otherwiſe provided for in His Majeſty's Service, beſides their Half Pay; which Affidavits muſt be made before any of His Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace, and ſigned by the reſpective Officers, declaring therein his being incapable of appearing at the Examination for the Reaſons above-mentioned; to which muſt be annexed, a Certificate of the Miniſter of the Parſh, and of a Phyſician or Surgeon.

By Order of the ſaid Commiſſioners,
Anthony Vezian, *Secretary.*

The Commiſſioners appointed in purſuance of an Act of Parliament paſſed the laſt Seſſion, for granting An Aid to His Majeſty, by laying a Duty upon all Victuallers and Retailers of Beer and Ale within the Cities of London and Weſtminſter, and Weekly Bills of Mortality, *do hereby give Notice to all* Innkeepers, Victuallers, Keepers of Taverns, Keepers of Coffee-houſes, *and all other* Retailers of Beer and Ale, *That upon Monday the 27th Day of this Inſtant June, Attendance will be given at the Exciſe-Office in the Old Jewry, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning, and ſo on daily till Twelve at Noon, and from Two till Five in the Afternoon, for compounding with, and granting Permiſſions or Authorities to all* ſuch Retailers of Beer and Ale. *And for the greater Convenience and Diſpatch of all* ſuch Retailers, *the Commiſſioners will be ready to compound with, and grant Permiſſions to all ſuch* Innkeepers, Victuallers, Keepers of Taverns, *and* Coffee-Houſes, *&c. that live in the ſeveral Wards and Pariſhes under-mentioned, upon the reſpective Days thereunto annexed, viz. with ſuch as live in*

Aldgate Ward,	Dowgate Ward,
Bread-ſtreet Ward,	Langborn Ward,
Broad-ſtreet Ward,	Lime ſtreet Ward,
Baſſiſhaw Ward,	Queen-Hith Ward,
Bridge Ward,	Vintry Ward,
Cripplegate Ward,	Wallbrook Ward,

Monday the 27th of June.

Alderſgate Ward,	Cordwainers,
Faringdon Within,	Candlewick,
Faringdon Without,	Coleman-ſtreet,
Caſtle Baynard,	Cornhill,
Cheap,	

Tueſday the 28th of June.

Billingſgate

Billingſgate Ward, St. Olave's Southwark,
Tower Ward, Bermondſey Pariſh,
Tower Liberty Within, Rotherhith,
Port Soaken Ward,

Wedneſday the 29th of June.

St. Thomas's, } Southwark Chriſt-Church, Surrey,
St. George's, } Southwark Lambeth,
St. Saviour's, } Southwark Newington Butts,

Thurſday the 30th of June.

Part of the Tower Hamlets.

St. Botolph Precinct, St. Paul's Shadwell,
St. Katherine's, Ratcliff Hamlet,
Tower Liberty Without, Limehouſe,
Wapping, St. John's, Poplar, and
Wapping, Stepney, Blackwall,

Friday the 1ſt of July.

St. Mary Whitechappel, Bethnall Green,
Spittlefields, Hackney,
Norton Falgate, Mile End Green,
St. Leonard's Shoreditch,

Saturday the 2d of July.

Finsbury Diviſion.

Cripplegate Pariſh, St. Mary Iſlington,
St. James Clerkenwell, Glaſs-Houſe Liberty,
St. Sepulchres,

Monday the 4th of July.

St. Andrew's Holbourn Pariſh, St. Giles's in the Fields,
Dutchy Liberty,
St. George the Martyr, Rolls Liberty.

Tueſday the 5th of July.

St. Margaret's Weſtminſter Pariſh, St. Martin's Le Grand,
St. Mary Le Savoy,
St. Martin's in the Fields,

Wedneſday the 6th of July.

St. James Weſtminſter Pariſh, St. Paul's Covent-Garden,
St. Clement Danes.
St. Ann's Weſtminſter, St. George Hanover-Square.

Thurſday the 7th of July.

Exciſe-Office, Old-Jury, June 16.

The Commiſſioners for managing the Inland Duties upon Coffee, Tea, and Chocolate, do hereby give Notice, That by an Act of the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, entituled, An Act for the Improvement of His Majeſty's Revenues of Cuſtoms, Exciſe, and Inland Duties, it is enacted as follows:

And for preventing the Frauds of ſuch Chocolate-makers, who buying ſmall Quantities of Cocoa Nuts, do clandeſtinely make the ſame into Chocolate, and in like manner ſell and diſpoſe of the Chocolate ſo made, without paying the Inland Duty thereon, whereby His Majeſty is defrauded of and in the ſaid Inland Duty on Chocolate: Be it Enacted by the Authority aforeſaid, that from and after the Twenty fourth Day of June, One thouſand ſeven hundred and twenty ſix, no Seller of, Trader or Dealer in Cocoa Nuts, ſhall in any Parcel or Parcels ſell, deliver out, or diſpoſe of leſs than the Quantity of Twenty eight Pounds Weight of Cocoa Nuts at the leaſt, at any one Time or Times; and further, that from Time to Time, and at all and every Time and Times, when ſuch Seller of, Trader or Dealer in Cocoa Nuts, ſhall either ſell, deliver out, or diſpoſe of any Parcel or Parcels of Cocoa Nuts, of Twenty eight Pounds Weight or more, the Party or Parties ſo ſelling, delivering out, or diſpoſing of ſuch Cocoa Nuts, ſhall enter, or cauſe to be entred down an Account in Writing, of the Chriſtian and Sirname and Names, and Place and Places of Abode, of the Perſon and Perſons to whom, or to or for whoſe Uſe, or for or upon whoſe Account ſuch Cocoa Nuts ſhall be ſo ſold, delivered out, or diſpoſed of; and upon Demand or Requeſt made by any Officer or Officers of and for the Inland Duties on Chocolate, ſhall produce ſuch Account or Accounts to ſuch Officer or Officers, and ſhall permit him and them not only to inſpect and peruſe the ſame, but alſo thereout and therefrom to take an Account of the Name and Names, Place and Places of Abode, of the Perſon and Perſons to whom, or for whoſe Uſe, or for or upon whoſe Account ſuch Cocoa Nuts ſhall be, or ſhall have been ſold, delivered out, or diſpoſed of, on Pain of forfeiting and loſing the Sum of Twenty Pounds for every Pound of Cocoa Nuts, which ſhall either be ſold, delivered out, or diſpoſed of in any Parcel or Parcels not containing or amounting in the whole to Twenty eight Pounds of Cocoa Nuts at the leaſt, or which ſhall be, or ſhall have been ſo ſold, delivered out, or diſpoſed of, without entring down, or cauſing to be entred down in ſuch Account or Accounts in Writing, as aforeſaid, the Name and Names, and Place and Places of Abode, of the Perſon and Perſons, to whom, or to or for whoſe Uſe, or for or upon whoſe Account ſuch Cocoa Nuts ſhall be, or ſhall have been ſo ſold, delivered out, or diſpoſed of, and on Pain of forfeiting and loſing the Sum of Twenty Pounds every and each Time and Times, when ſuch Seller of, Trader or Dealer in Cocoa Nuts ſhall refuſe to permit ſuch Officer or Officers for the ſaid Inland Duties, to inſpect and peruſe ſuch Account or Accounts, as aforeſaid, or thereout or therefrom to take ſuch Account or Accounts, as aforeſaid.

The Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Revenue of Exciſe deſign to expoſe to Sale in their Court Room at the Exciſe-Office, London, on Wedneſday the 22d of this Inſtant June, at Three a-Clock in the Afternoon, ſeveral Parcels of condemn'd Bohea and Green Tea, Coffee, Cocoa-Nuts, and Chocolate. Printed Allotments of which will be ready to be delivered at the Exciſe-Office, London, on Monday the 20th Inſtant, and the Goods to be ſeen at the ſaid Office on Monday and Tueſday, the 20th and 21ſt, from One to Four a-Clock, and on Wedneſday, from One a-Clock to the Time of Sale.

York-Buildings Houſe, Winchester ſtreet, June 8, 1726.

The Governour and Court of Aſſiſtants of the York-Buildings Company hereby give Notice, That the Transfer Books of the ſaid Company will be ſhut from and after Tueſday the 14th Inſtant, in order to receive the Payment of One per Cent. agreed by a General Court held this Day to be paid in on or before the 20th Inſtant, as Part of the Call of 4 l. per Cent. propoſed at a General Court held the 11th of February laſt; of which all Perſons concerned are deſired to take Notice, leſt they incur the Penalties ordered by former General Courts on Defaulters.

N. B. The Transfer Books will be opened again on Tueſday the 21ſt Inſtant.

Royal Exchange Aſſurance Office, June 15, 1726.

The Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Aſſurance Company give Notice, That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Tueſday the 28th Inſtant, from Nine in the Forenoon to Four in the Afternoon, for the Election of a Governour, Sub-Governour, and Deputy-Governour, which Election will be declared that Evening. And that the ſaid Court will be continued by Adjournment, and held at the ſame Place, and during the ſame Hours, on Wedneſday the 29th Inſtant, for the Election of 24 Directors, which Election will be declared as ſoon as the Scrutiny is over. Printed Liſts of the Proprietors qualified to Vote, will be ready to be delivered at the Office on Friday the 24th Inſtant.

Advertiſements.

This Day is Publiſhed,

*** The ODYSSEY of HOMER, tranſlated from the Greek. Vol IV. V. Mr. Pope gives Notice to the Subſcribers, that whoever ſends their Receipts, may then receive their two laſt Volumes in Sheets, without farther Payment, at Mr. Jervas's, Principal Painter to His Majeſty, in Cleavelland-Court, by St. James's; or at Mr. Lintot's, Bookſeller, at the Croſs-Keys, between the Temple-Gates in Fleet-ſtreet.

THE King's Plate of 100 Guineas will be run for on Lewes Downs in Suſſex, on Wedneſday the 3d of Auguſt next, by any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, being no more than ſix Years old the Grass before, as muſt be certified under